DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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Such as the Doctor will suggest and we furnish—Everything in sick room supplies—bed pans, air cushions, ice bags, atomizers, absorbent cotton, bandages, etc., and medicines of every kind. The state board of health has given us the appointment as distributing agents for Antitoxtine and Vaccine in Lee county.

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Sweet Cider, gallon	30c
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3 cans Strawberries or Red Raspberries	25c
3 cans Egg Plums, 2 lb	25c
Egg Plums and Green Gage, 3 lb	10c
Eastern Pears, 3-pound cans	10c

We are Dixon Agents for Blue Label Canned Goods; Curtice Bros., N. Y., Log Cabin Maple Syrup; Gilt Edge Flour [towling sacks]; Chase and Sanburns Teas and Coffees

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Bed Spring and Mattress	4.48	Rocking Chairs	1.17
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Dixon Grocery Co

PLANS FOR C. & N. W. "CUT OFF" COMPLETE

Northwestern People Will Commence Work on New Route When Weather Permits.

SAVING OF BIG MONEY IN TIME

Tonnage Trains Will Avoid Dixon by Proposed Route.

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway company have completed all arrangements to begin work on the "cut off" between Nachusa and Nelson. The "cut off" idea has been considered by the railway officials for the last six or eight years, and it was just within the past year that matters began to shape themselves so that some definite action could be taken. It was finally agreed that as soon as the weather would permit work on the "cut off" would commence.

The plans are to begin the work just a little ways west of Nachusa and run the line almost directly to Nelson. The distance from Dixon to the "cut off" will be about three quarters of a mile south.

The company will gain big advantages by this plan. All tonnage trains between Clinton and Chicago will run over the "cut off."

To avoid pulling tonnage trains over the Dixon hill, has been a problem with the company for many years.

During the present plans a tonnage train leaving Clinton, will run to Nelson, and there will be compelled to reduce, setting out from six to a dozen loads. This is necessary in order to make the Dixon hill, but by the "cut off" route all this reducing at Nelson will be avoided, the trains, going right through to Chicago.

All passenger trains and way freights of course, will run over the present route, because no depot will be erected on the "cut off."

EXTRA CREW SAVED.

The company finds it necessary twice and sometimes three times a week to run an extra crew to Nelson to pick up the loads that were set out by tonnage trains. All in all the "cut off" plan will save the Northwestern company in time thousands of dollars.

WILL BUILD SWITCH TRACK.

In the spring, just as soon as the weather will permit, Roadmaster Bowen will begin the work of building a switch track from the right-of-way of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad to the gravel beds purchased by the company along the banks of Rock river west of Como. The beds wil be immediately stripped, so that gravel can be secured when wanted.

How much gravel will be used from the pit this year is not known. It is planned to reballast a considerable portion of the Peoria branch, and in case the government dam is built a vast amount of gravel will be required to raise the road bed of the company from the foot of Seventeenth avenue almost to the Nelson bridge.

By some it is believed that the bed was purchased for that purpose. It will take a vast amount of filling to raise the road bed, when it is taken into consideration that the tracks will have to be raised for a distance of almost two miles to an average of five feet above the present level. At any rate it will take a vast amount of gravel to do the work.

PETITIONS FOR CITY HALL OUT

Petitions for New City Building Will Be Circulated Monday.

The petitions for a new city hall have been drawn up by City Attorney John Dornblaser and will be circulated Monday. Some people are prejudiced against signing petitions, but if they have never signed one before or never sign one again, they should by all means sign one of these.

Our present old ruin has been a subject of much ridicule and the butt of jokes everywhere in the county for many years.

If the citizens of Dixon wait until it is blown down, as it was threatened the last wind storm, it will be still a greater subject for ridicule than it is at present.

John McKinstry of Nelson Dead.

John McKinstry, an old and highly respected resident of Nelson, died this afternoon at ten minutes before three o'clock. Funeral at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Obitnary later.

FORGER AND FUGITIVE.

Joliet Man Commits Forgeries for $20,000 and Absconds.

Robert E. Ward, who at one time represented the Equitable Life Insurance company in Rockford, is accused of forging $20,000 by the authorities of Joliet, who hold a warrant for his arrest. Ward is said to be a fugitive

He left Joliet on Tuesday, the day his irregular business dealings were discovered, and has not been seen since.

The alleged forgeries consist of notes supposed to have been signed by many well known Joliet citizens, indorsed by Ward, and used by him as collateral to secure loans. His operations were extended to Morris, Ottawa, Aurora, Elgin and other cities as well.

FIRE AT SWISSVILLE

New Barn Owned by Frank Reap Burned to the Ground Last Night.

OUT OF REACH OF THE WATER

Started from Lantern and the Loss Was $550.

The new two story barn and coal house recently built by Frank Reap at his home in Swissville burned to the ground last night. The fire started from the explosion of a kerosene lantern which Mr. Reap had set on the floor of the haymow while he broke open a bale of hay. One end of the wire, when cut, struck the latern, knocking it over and causing the explosion. Reap made futile attempts to extinguish the flames and then turned in an alarm to the fire department. The time was 6:30 o'clock

WATER OUT OF REACH.

The firemen found, upon reaching the scene of action, that there was no water plug with which they could connect and consequetly they were unable to use their hose. A bucket brigade was formed to protect the house, which stood near the barn, and on which the paint was peeled off by the heat from the flames.

BURNING HAY CAUSES GREAT HEAT

In the barn was stored over five tons of baled hay and straw, which while burning, threw off an immense amount of heat, and made a blaze which on account of its high elevation, could be seen a great distance. A team of horses, which were in the lower part of the barn, were driven out before the alarm was turned in to the fire hall.

COAL HOUSE BURNS.

A coal house, which stood near the barn, took fire and of it there remains not a vistage. The firemen made repeated efforts to overturn the building, but on account of five tons of coal which were in it, the feat was impossible.

$300 INSURANCE.

The loss was partly covered by $250 insurance in the United American Insurance company, of which F. M. Smith is the local agent. The total loss was $550.

HORSES RAN AWAY.

The horses, after being turned out from the barn, became badly frightened and ran down almost to the bridge, where they were caught some time later.

DIXON 1-- STERLING--1.

Both Schools Win Games at Basket Ball.

The basket ball games played last night in Jones' hall in Dement-town between the first and second teams of the South Dixon and Sterling high schools were witnessed by a good crowd who grew very enthusiastic as the games neared the finish. The first team of the Dixon high school won from their opponents by a small margin the score being 23—22 in their favor.

The second team of the Dixon school lost to their opponents to the tune of 19—30.

—Attorney George O'Brien was here from Rochelle Friday on business.

—Bernard Capen of Bloomington is here on business.

HE PLEADS GUILTY OF HORSE STEALING

Glenn Fairchild Sentenced To State Reform School At Pontiac By Judge Scott.

HARRY PERRINE BOUND OVER

His Bonds Placed at $200 Which Were Furnished.

Appearing before Judge Scott in the county court this afternoon Glenn Fairchild of the Old Burg, this county, plead guilty to the charge of larceny and was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state reform school at Pontiac.

The lad, who is only 16 years old stole a horse and buggy belonging to Joseph Walters, a farmer residing near Steward, on Wednesday, January 17. The rig was tied on the street at Steward, and the boy being in a hurry to go home, took it, drove it to his home and put it in the barn of a man named Horton.

Young Fairchild was given a hearing at Steward Thursday and brought to Dixon Thursday evening. Within the next ten days the sheriff will execute his sentence.

BOY WAS INTOXICATED.

According to the boy's own story of why he committed the crime, he was intoxicated. He stated further that he had been under the influence of liquor, three times previous to this. While giving the boy his sentence, Judge Scott took occasion to point out to the lad the error of his ways. He told him he had yet time to make a good man of himself. That his term in the reform school should have a tendency to make him regret the bad life he has been leading and start him to lead a better life in the future.

Perrine Given Hearing.

Harry Perrine, who for a time conducted a feed stable in the old McKinney barn on River street and who was arrested Thursday at Rockford on a state warrant sworn out by Geo. Trout of Dixon, was given a hearing before Justice John Crabtree this forenoon. He was bound over to await the action of the grand jury under $200, which he produced.

Trout claims Perrine borrowed a set of harness which he never gave back and never settled for.

COURT CONVENES MONDAY.

Judge Heard adjourned court last evening until Monday at 11 o'clock a. m. He went to Freeport to spend Sunday at his home.

The petit jurors for the 4th and 5th weeks of the term will report for duty Monday. Motions for new trials will be heard and several chancery matters will be settled when court convenes Monday.

BROWN CASE CONTINUED.

The case of Horner vs. Brown was continued for the term.

In the case of Hull vs Barron, the jury returned a verdict of $100 for the plaintiff.

Remains of Mrs. Thompson Arrive.

The remains of Mrs. William Thompson, who died at her home in Dayton, Ohio, Thursday, arrived here at noon today and were taken to the home of her mother, Mrs. Patrick Maloney. Mrs. Thompson leaves to mourn her death besides her husband and mother, three sisters, Mesdames Jacobs of DeKalb, J. F. Kennedy of Dixon, and Harris of St. Paul, Minn., and four brothers, who are: Michael Daniel and James of Dixon and John of St. Louis, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 403 Monroe avenue Sunday at 1 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at the Catholic church. Father Foley will officiate. Burial will be at Oakwood cemetery.

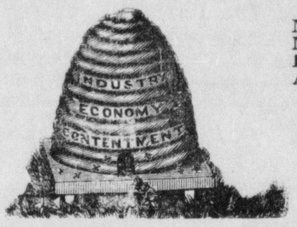
O'Neil Breaks Wrist.

Mike O'Neil is carrying his arm in a sling as the result of acting as peacemaker between two gentlemen who were settling a dispute with their fists. Mr. O'Neil in trying to separate the aforesaid gentlemen in some manner broke his left wrist. He immediately repaired to the office of a nearby physician where he received medical aid.

—Mrs. Sherwood is visiting her brother, who is ill at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner arrived last night from Chicago and will visit friends until Monday.

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We want every lady in Dixon and vicinity to visit our store during the Great Bargain Sale of Table Linen, Napkins, Towels, Lunch clothes, Sideboard Scarfs, Dresser Scarf Tray Clothes, Doilies, etc. We bought a big stock of Linen before the advance in price. These Linens all go at a discount of 15 to 20 per cent.

Unbleached Table Linen, All Linen 68 in., worth 65c Sale price	50c
Unbleached Table Linen 72 in worth 90c, Sale price	75 cents
Bleached Table Linen all Linen 68 in., worth 75c	62 cents
Bleached Table Linen 72 in, worth 90c, sale price	75c
" " " " " $1.25, sale price	$1.00
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10 per cent Discount on all our Toweling.

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Women's storm rubbers 2½ to 8	40c and 50c
Women's storm rubbers, Cuban Heel Goodyear	50c
Woman's storm Alaska buckle overshoes	65c to 80c
Women's Artic buckle overshoes	75c to 95c
Men's storm rubbers pair	55c and 70c
" Artics	95c and $1.35
Boys' " 3, 4, 5 and 6	85c and $1.10
Youths " 11 to 2	75c and 85c
Men's felts and overs	$1.85, $2.20 $2.50

A large assortment of German socks and overs to fit same, also Ball Brand Coon Tail boots and overs. All our overcoats must be sold this month. Call and get a bargain.



CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

Corrected Dec. 16, 1905.

Correct time of all passenger and freight trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers.

EAST BOUND TO CHICAGO.

No.	Lv. Dixon		Ar. Chicago.
4	3:25 a.m.	daily	6:45 a.m
6	4:52 a.m.	daily	7:30 a.m
6	6:16 a.m.	daily	8:55 a.m
2	6:37 a.m.	daily	9:00 a.m.
18*	7:19 a.m.	d. ex. Sun.	10:10 a.m
8	9:27 a.m.	daily	11:55 a.m
20	10:32 a.m.	d. ex. Sun.	1:40 p.m
14	3:50 p.m.	d. ex. Sun.	7:10 p.m.
12	6:17 p.m.	daily	8:50 p.m
28	4:15 p.m.	Sun. only	7:50 p.m.

Note—No. 8 will not run until Dec. 24

WEST BOUND FROM CHICAGO.

	Lv. Chicago.		Ar. Dixon.
3	11:00 p.m.	daily	1:52 a.m.
13	7:05 a.m.	d. ex. Sun.	10:23 a.m.
5	10:15 a.m.	daily	12:44 p.m.
7	10:05 p.m.	daily	12:26 a.m.
19	12:30 p.m.	d. ex. Sun.	3:44 p.m.
17*	4:00 p.m.	d. ex. Sun.	6:48 p.m.
35	6:00 p.m.	daily	8:45 p.m.
11	7:00 p.m.	daily	9:18 p.m.
1	8:02 p.m.	daily	10:23 p.m.

*Sterling Passenger.

FREIGHTS.

No. 863.....7:40 a. m., ex. Sun. Passenger train, Dixon to Peoria.
No. 131.....at 11:1 a. m. Sun. only Carries passengers Flanklin to Clinton

J. J. CARTY, Agent

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

Corrected Junel, 1905.

Correct time of all the passenger and freight trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers.

SOUTHBOUND.

No.		
*123	Southern Express	10:20 a.m.
131	Decatur Express	4:10 p.m.
191	Amboy Freight	9:40 a.m

NORTHBOUND.

No.		
132	Ft. Dodge Day Express	9:40 a.m.
*124	Local Mail	5:20 p.m.
192	Local Freight	12:45 p.m.

*Daily Other trains daily except Sunday.

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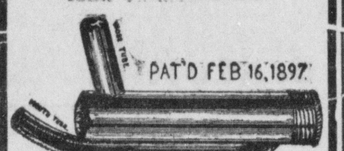
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More than likely you speak the same words yourself, and no doubt you feel far from well. The cause may be easily traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nervousness, sleeplessness, or other female weakness.

These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger ahead, and unless heeded a life of suffering or a serious operation is the inevitable result.

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"For a long time I suffered untold agony with a female trouble and irregularities, which made me a physical wreck, and no one thought I would recover, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me, and made me well and strong, and I feel it my duty to tell other suffering women what a splendid medicine it is."

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Second Street, between Galena and Ottawa avenue. Pastor, W. A. Billings. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Rodney Ayres, Supt., Baraca Bible Class or men. Preaching services 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday evening 7:30.

Morning theme:—"The Church's Place in the Community."

Evening theme—"How Can I Be Saved?" The first of a short series. Second subject, "How Can I Know I am Saved?"

The evening service will be evangelistic with enthusiastic singing and a short after service.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. W. L. Rutherford, pastor of St. Paul's—corner of Second street and Hennepin avenue. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Owen Clymer, Superintendent. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening services at 7:30. Junior Christian Endeavor 4 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30.

GERMAN BAPTIST BRETHREN.

The German Baptist Brethren will hold services each Sunday morning in the Universalists' church on the corner of Hennepin avenue and Second street at 11 o'clock. Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Everybody invited. Rev. C. M. Suter, minister in charge.

UNITED EVANGELICAL.

Grace Evangelical church, Fellows and Ottawa, North Dixon. Rev. E. O. Rife, pastor. 9.45 a. m. Bible School. 10:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. preaching 6:45 p. m. K. L. C. E. Wednesday 7:30 Mid-Week Devotional and Teachers' Meeting on Friday evening.

Morning theme—"Crowning Jesus as Lord of the Church."

Evening theme—"Why Will You Wait."

Evening service will begin at 7 o'clock.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Corner Peoria Ave. and Second St.—Rev. C. C. McLean, M. A., D. D., Minister—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Dr. S. W. Lehman, superintendent. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Church Nursery-Kindergarten 10:30 a. m. to close preaching service for care of infants and teaching of little children. Bring yours while you attend the preaching service. Junior League 3 p. m. Mrs. Clea Bunnell, superintendent; Epworth League 6:30 p. m., Mr. Chas. C. Hintz, president. Wednesday evening, 7:30 Prayer meeting, led by the pastor—8:30 Sunday school lesson Bible study, led by Mr. Ira Lewis. To these and other services all, especially strangers and "Gideons" are cordially invited.

Morning theme—"God's Book of Remembrance—Is My Name There?"

Evening theme—"The Great Salvation."

The baptismal service of infants and little children will take place promptly at 10:30 o'clock.

The church nursery-kindergarten will be in charge of Mrs. Roy Tanquary and Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, Sunday, Jan. 21st, at 10:30 o'clock.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Cor. Second street and Hennepin avenue. Joseph Newton, pastor. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Preaching at 4:30 in the afternoon Theme—"Spirits in Prison."

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

[GERMAN.]

Corner Sixth street and Highland avenue. Rev. Henry F. Schmidt, Pastor. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Mr. C. Krug, Superintendent of Sunday School. Morning service at 11 a. m, No evening service.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

J. Fredwell, Stone, minister. First street, near Madison avenue. Bible School at 9:30 a. m. Dr. C. C. Kost, Supt. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Morning subject—"Opportunity and Responsibility."

Evening—Special sermon on "Why Was Jesus Baptized."

Good music by the large choir, Cordial invitation to friends and strangers,

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL.

Corner Van Buren Avenue and Fourth street. Rev. J. G. Brooks, Pastor. Sabbath School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m.

Loyal Temperance Legion at 3:30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor Society at 6:30 led by Mrs. Blanche Young. Subject—"The Boyhood of Jesus." It will be a meeting of the Seniors and Juniors.

The pastor, Rev. J. G. Brooks will preach both morning and evening.

Morning theme—"Our Confidence in a Wise Overseer."

Evening subject—"The Privilege of Repentance."

The pastor has a matter of supreme importance to the entire church which he must present, and therefore earnestly desires every member present at the morning service if possible.

There will be services at Nelson and Rev. Brooks will preach at 3 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Third street, between Galena and Ottawa, Rev. S. S. Cryor, D. D., Pastor. Preaching services 10:30 a. m by pastor. Sunday School at close of morning service; A. S. Tobias, Superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Sunday morning Dr. Cryor will preach in Sterling and his pulpit at the Presbyterian church in this city will be occupied by Rev. Clathworthy of Sterling. In the evening Dr. Dr. Cryor will preach in his own pulpit and the subject of his address will be "God's Love for the Sinning World."

ST. PATRICK'S.

Corner Seventh Street and Highland Avenue. Rev. Foley, Pastor. Rev. Clancy, Assistant Pastor. Low Mass 8 a. m. High Mass 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Baptism 3:30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 215 First street, second floor. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening at 7:45. Reading room daily, except Sunday, from 2 to 5 p. m.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL.

Cor. Peoria avenue and Third street. Rev. J. M. Ericsson, Rector. Residence 209 Third St. Sunday Services—8 a. m. Holy Communion, (except on first Sunday in month). 9:45 Sunday School, 11 Morning Prayer and Sermon. 5 p. m. Evensong.

Ex-President John A. McCall of the New York Life Insurance Company has been presented with a loving cup costing four hundred dollars. It is needless to say it was not paid for by the holders of policies in that society.

YEARNS FOR A LICKING

That Castro, of Venezuela, Seems To Be Galloping Around Seeking Trouble.

FRANCE PREPARING TO STRIKE

Uncle Sam Warns the Little Dictator To Be Good in Time.

French Government to Demand an Apology as a Starter—Official Dispatches Are Delayed Somehow.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Three French warships are now off the Venezuelan coast prepared to deliver the answer of France to President Castro's treatment of M. Taigny, the French representative at Caracas, by a naval demonstration in Venezuelan waters. Two additional warships will join them as soon as they can make the trip across the Atlantic. Until the demonstration has been initiated the French government will share with the president and Secretary Root the knowledge of the exact form which this expression of its displeasure at President Castro's action will take.

There's More Trouble Ahead.

Meantime the delicacy of the situation at Caracas is greatly increased by news which has recently reached here from the Venezuelan capital regarding the attitude President Castro now appears to be assuming toward Russell, the United States minister. Unless this attitude is radically modified it may be necessary to dispatch a United States warship even nearer the Venezuelan coast than has already been planned. President Castro will be given to understand that any treatment of a United States representative such as that accorded M. Taigny will not be tolerated by the Washington government. The only cause which can be assigned here for President Castro's coolness toward Russell is that the former insists upon regarding as personal rather than official the efforts which Russell, acting under instructions from Washington, has made to assist a peaceful settlement of the Franco-Venezuelan troubles.

Apology To Be Demanded.

France has adopted a simple programme for her treatment of the Venezuelan situation. It provides for an immediate and comprehensive apology by President Castro for his treatment of M. Taigny, which treatment the Paris officials regard as "insulting" and "intolerable." Until this apology is made discussion of the claims and other grievances which France has against Venezuela will be withheld. The French government regards the action of President Castro's agents in La Guayra in refusing to permit M. Taigny to return ashore after he had boarded a French liner as an act of war. France demands that her representative shall receive the same treatment at Caracas as is given the Venezuelan representative at Paris.

Castro Intercepting Dispatches?

In continuance of the policy rigidly adhered to M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, has kept the Washington government informed at every stage of the course to be pursued by France in Venezuela. It now appears that three important dispatches containing instructions for M. Taigny have never reached him, and the supposition is that they were intercepted by the Venezuelan government. This is regarded as a very serious phase of the situation and will be thoroughly investigated by Russell. Care also will be taken to insure the delivery without interception of all dispatches to Russell. It can be announced that a French demonstration in Venezuelan waters under the circumstances will be viewed here with complacence.

CARRIED HIS WEALTH ALONG

Still He Wasn't Happy, So He Tried to Throw Himself Under a Train.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Jan. 20.—Godfrey Grants, a wealthy German who carried in his pockets deeds to valuable city lots in Seattle, tried to commit suicide by throwing himself in front of an in-coming passenger train on the Burlington before scores of people who stood on the platform.

His head was badly cut and arm fractured. He gave his home as Green Lake, Wash. Among his papers were deeds to much property in Washington, and a ticket from St. Paul to Steubenville, O. He was locked up by Sheriff Sime pending word from relatives.

"Big Nine" Conference Is "On."

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The objectionable features of foot ball and the college athletic system in general were subjected to severe criticism at the first day's session of the "big nine" conference representatives held at the Chicago Beach hotel, but no conclusion was reached.

Mighty Mild Weather This Year.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 20.—For the first time in the month of January for twenty-five years clearance papers have been issued to a vessel bound for a port west of here. The steel steamer John H. Stanton left this morning for Cleveland.

President's Rate Policy Indorsed.

Kansas City, Jan. 20.—The convention of the Kansas Grain Men's association, [illegible] has adjourned, indorsed President Roosevelt's policy on railroad rate reform.



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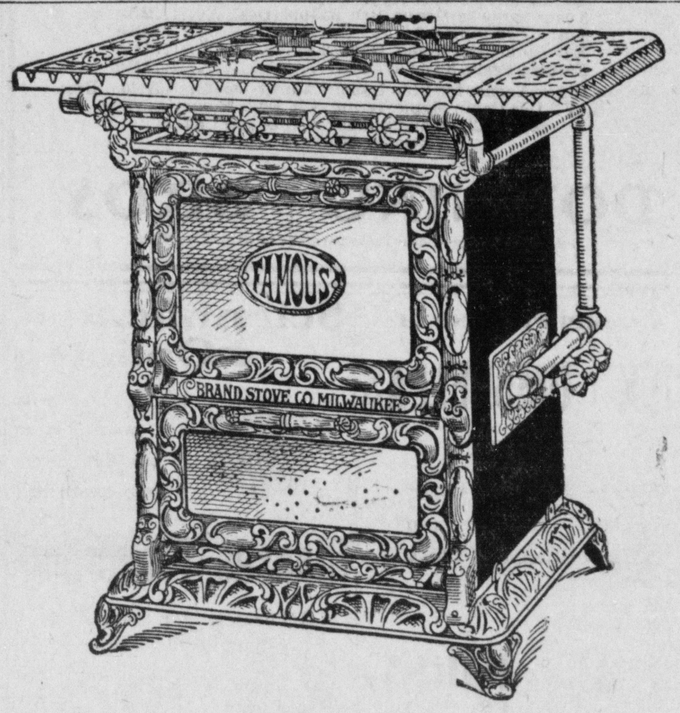
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The SKY PILOT

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CHAPTER VI.

HIS SECOND WIND.

THE first weeks were not pleasant for the Pilot. He had been beaten, and the sense of failure damped his fine enthusiasm, which was one of his chief charms. The Noble Seven despised, ignored or laughed at him, according to their mood and disposition. Bruce patronized him, and, worst of all, the Muirs pitied him. This last it was that brought him low, and I was glad of it. I find it hard to put up with a man that enjoys pity.

It was Hi Kendal that restored him, though Hi had no thought of doing so good a deed. It was in this way: A baseball match was on with the Porcupines from near the Fort. To Hi's disgust and the team's dismay Bill failed to appear. It was Hi's delight to stand up for Bill's pitching, and their battery was the glory of the Home team.

"Try the Pilot, Hi," said some one, chaffing him.

Hi looked glumly across at the Pilot standing some distance away; then called out, holding up the ball:

"Can you play the game?"

For answer Moore held up his hands for a catch. Hi tossed him the ball easily. The ball came back so quickly that Hi was hardly ready, and the jar seemed to amaze him exceedingly.

"I'll take him," he said doubtfully, and the game began. Hi fitted on his mask, a new importation and his peculiar pride, and waited.

"How do you like them?" asked the Pilot.

"Hot!" said Hi. "I hain't got no gloves to burn."

The Pilot turned his back, swung off one foot on to the other and discharged his ball.

"Strike!" called the umpire.

"You bet!" said Hi with emphasis, but his face was a picture of amazement and dawning delight.

Again the Pilot went through the maneuver in his box and again the umpire called:

"Strike!"

Hi stopped the ball without holding it and set himself for the third. Once more that disconcerting swing and the whiplike action of the arm, and for the third time the umpire called:

"Strike! Striker out!"

"That's the hole," yelled Hi.

The Porcupines were amazed. Hi looked at the ball in his hand, then at the slight figure of the Pilot.

"I say, where do you get it?"

"What?" asked Moore innocently.

"The gait!"

"The what?"

"The gait, the speed, you know!"

"Oh! I used to play in Princeton a little."

"Did, eh? What the blapk blank did you quit for?"

He evidently regarded the exchange of the profession of baseball for the study of theology as a serious error in judgment, and in this opinion every inning of the game confirmed him. At the bat the Pilot did not shine, but he made up for light hitting by his base running. He was fleet as a deer, and he knew the game thoroughly. He was keen, eager, intense in play, and before the innings were half over he was recognized as the best all round man on the field. In the pitcher's box he puzzled the Porcupines till they grew desperate and hit wildly and blindly, amid the jeers of the spectators. The bewilderment of the Porcupines was equaled only by the enthusiasm of Hi and his nine, and when the game was over the score stood 37 to 7 in favor of the Home team. They carried the Pilot off the field.

From that day Moore was another man. He had won the unqualified respect of Hi Kendal and most of the others, for he could beat them at their own game and still be modest about it. Once more his enthusiasm came back and his brightness and his courage. The Duke was not present to witness his triumph, and, besides, he rather despised the game. Bruce was there, however, but took no part in the general acclaim. Indeed, he seemed rather disgusted with Moore's sudden leap into favor. Certainly his hostility to the Pilot and to all that he stood for was none the less open and bitter.

The hostility was more than usually marked at the service held on the Sunday following. It was, perhaps, thrown into stronger relief by the open and delighted approval of Hi, who was prepared to back up anything the Pilot would venture to say. Bill, who had not witnessed the Pilot's performance in the pitcher's box, but had only Hi's enthusiastic report to go upon, still preserved his judicial air. It is fair to say, however, that there was no mean spirited jealousy in Bill's heart even though Hi had frankly assured him that the Pilot was a "demon" and could "give him points." Bill had great confidence in Hi's opinion upon baseball, but he was not prepared to surrender his right of private judgment in matters theological, so he waited for the sermon before committing himself to any enthusiastic approval.

This service was an undoubted success. The singing was hearty, and insensibly the men fell into a reverent attitude during prayer. The theme, too, was one that gave little room for skepticism. It was the story of Zaccheus, and story telling was Moore's strong point. The thing was well done. Vivid portraitures of the outcast, shrewd, converted publican and the supercilious, self complacent, critical Pharisee were drawn with a few deft touches. A single sentence transferred them to the foothills and arrayed them in cowboy garb. Bill was none too sure of himself, but Hi, with delightful winks, was indicating Bruce as the Pharisee, to the latter's scornful disgust. The preacher must have noticed, for with a very clever turn the Pharisee was shown to be the kind of man who likes to fit faults upon others. Then Bill, digging his elbows into Hi's ribs, said in an audible whisper:

"Say, pardner, how does it fit now?"

"You git out!" answered Hi indignantly, but his confidence in his interpretation of the application was shaken. When Moore came to describe the Master and his place in that ancient group, we in the Stopping Place parlor fell under the spell of his eyes and voice, and our hearts were moved within us. That great Personality was made very real and very winning. Hi was quite subdued by the story and the picture. Bill was perplexed. It was all new to him, but Bruce was mainly irritated. To him it was all old and filled with memories he hated to face. At any rate, he was unusually savage that evening, drank heavily and went home late, raging and cursing at things in general and the Pilot in particular, for Moore in a timid sort of way had tried to quiet him and help him to his horse.

"Ornery sort o' beast now, ain't he?" said Hi, with the idea of comforting the Pilot, who stood sadly looking after Bruce disappearing in the gloom.

"No, no!" he answered quickly. "Not a beast, but a brother."

"Brother! Not much, if I know my relations!" answered Hi disgustedly.

"The Master thinks a good deal of him," was the earnest reply.

"Git out!" said Hi. "You don't mean it! Why," he added decidedly, "he's more stuck on himself than that mean old cuss you was tellin' about this afternoon, and without half the reason."

But Moore only said kindly, "Don't be hard on him, Hi," and turned away, leaving Hi and Bill gravely discussing the question with the aid of several drinks of whisky. They were still discussing when, an hour later, they, too, disappeared into the darkness that swallowed up the trail to Ashley ranch. That was the first of many such services. The preaching was always of the simplest kind, abstract questions being avoided and the concrete in those wonderful Bible tales, dressed in modern and in western garb, set forth. Bill and Hi were more than ever his friends and champions, and the latter was heard exultantly to exclaim to Bruce:

"He ain't much to look at as a parson, but he's a ketchin' his second wind and 'fore long you won't see him for dust."

CHAPTER VII.

THE LAST OF THE PERMIT SUNDAYS.

THE spring "round ups" were all over and Bruce had nothing to do but to loaf about the Stopping Place, drinking old Latour's bad whisky and making himself a nuisance. In vain the Pilot tried to win him with loans of books and magazines and other kindly courtesies. He would be decent for a day and then would break forth in violent argumentation against religion and all who held to it. He sorely missed the Duke, who was away south on one of his periodic journeys, of which no one knew anything or cared to ask. The Duke's presence always steadied Bruce and took the rasp out of his manners. It was rather a relief to all that he was absent from the next fortnightly service, though Moore declared he was ashamed to confess this relief.

"I can't touch him," he said to me after the service. "He is far too clever. But," and his voice was full of pain, "I'd give something to help him."

"If he doesn't quit his nonsense," I replied, "he'll soon be past helping. He doesn't go out of his range, his few cattle wander everywhere, his shack is in a beastly state and he himself is going to pieces, miserable fool that he is." For it did seem a shame that a fellow should so throw himself away for nothing.

"You are hard," said Moore, with his eyes upon me.

"Hard? Isn't it true?" I answered hotly. "Then, there's his mother at home."

"Yes, but can he help it? Is it all his fault?" he replied, with his steady eyes still looking into me.

"His fault? Whose fault, then?"

"What of the Noble Seven? Have they anything to do with this?" His voice was quiet, but there was an arresting intensity in it.

"Well," I said, rather weakly, "a man ought to look after himself."

"Yes—and his brother a little." Then he added: "What have any of you done to help him? The Duke could have pulled him up a year ago if he had been willing to deny himself a little, and so with all of you. You all do just what pleases you regardless of any other, and so you help one another down."

I could not find anything just then to say, though afterward many things came to me. For, though his voice was quiet and low, his eyes were glowing and his face was alight with the fire that burned within, and I felt like one convicted of a crime. This was certainly a new doctrine for the west, an uncomfortable doctrine to practice, interfering seriously with personal liberty, but, in the Pilot's way of viewing things, difficult to escape. There would be no end to one's responsibility. I refused to think it out.

Within a fortnight we were thinking it out with some intentness. The Noble Seven were to have a great "blowout" at the Hill brothers' ranch. The Duke had got home from his southern trip a little more weary looking and a little more cynical in his smile. The "blowout" was to be held on permit Sunday, the alternate to the preaching Sunday, which was a concession to the Pilot, secured chiefly through the influence of Hi and his baseball nine. It was something to have created the situation involved in the distinction between preaching and permit Sundays. Hi put it rather graphically. "The devil takes his innin's one Sunday and the Pilot the next," adding emphatically, "He hain't done much scorin' yit, but my money's on the Pilot, you bet!" Bill was more cautious and preferred to wait developments. And developments were rapid.

The Hill brothers' meet was unusually successful from a social point of view. Several permits had been requisitioned, and whisky and beer abounded. Races all day and poker all night and drinks of various brews both day and night, with varying impromptu diversions, such as shooting the horns off wandering steers, were the social amenities indulged in by the Noble Company. On Monday evening I rode out to the ranch, urged by Moore, who was anxious that some one should look after Bruce.

"I don't belong to them," he said; "you do. They won't resent your coming."

Nor did they. They were sitting at tea and welcomed me with a shout.

"Hello, old domine!" yelled Bruce. "Where's your preacher friend?"

"Where you ought to be if you could get there—at home," I replied, nettled at his insolent tone.

"Strike one!" called out Hi enthusiastically, not approving Bruce's attitude toward his friend, the Pilot.

"Don't be so cute," said Bruce after the laugh had passed, "but have a drink."

He was flushed and very shaky and very noisy. The Duke, at the head of the table, looked a little harder than usual, but, though pale, was quite steady. The others were all more or less nerve broken, and about the room were the signs of a wild night. A bench was upset, while broken bottles and crockery lay strewn about over a floor reeking with filth. The disgust on my face called forth an apology from the younger Hill, who was serving up ham and eggs as best he could to the men lounging about the table.

"It's my housemaid's afternoon out," he explained gravely.

"Gone for a walk in the park," added another.

"Hope Mr. Connor will pardon the absence," sneered Bruce in his most offensive manner.

"Don't mind him," said Hi under his breath. "The blue devils are runnin' him down."

This became more evident as the evening went on. From hilarity Bruce passed to sullen ferocity, with spasms of nervous terror. Hi's attempts to soothe him finally drove him mad, and he drew his revolver, declaring he could look after himself, in proof of which he began to shoot out the lights.

The men scrambled into safe corners, all but the Duke, who stood quietly by watching Bruce shoot. Then saying, "Let me have a try, Bruce," he reached across and caught his hand.

"No, you don't!" said Bruce struggling. "No man gets my gun."

He tore madly at the gripping hand with both of his, but in vain, calling out with frightful oaths:

"Let go, let go! I'll kill you, I'll kill you!"

With a furious effort he hurled himself back from the table, dragging the Duke partly across. There were a flash



He began to shoot out the lights.

and a report and Bruce collapsed, the Duke still gripping him. When they lifted him up he was found to have an ugly wound in his arm, the bullet having passed through the fleshy part. I bound it up as best I could and tried to persuade him to go to bed. But he would go home. Nothing could stop him. Finally the Duke agreed to go with him, and off they set, Bruce loudly protesting that he could get home alone and did not want any one.

It was a dismal break up to the meet, and we all went home feeling rather sick, so that it gave me no pleasure to find Moore waiting in my shack for my report of Bruce. It was quite vain for me to make light of the accident to him. His eyes were wide open with anxious fear when I had done.

"You needn't tell me not to be anxious," he said. "You are anxious yourself. I see it, I feel it."

"Well, there is no use trying to keep things from you," I replied. "But I am only a little anxious. Don't you go beyond me and work yourself up into a fever over it."

"No," he answered quietly, "but I wish his mother were nearer."

"Oh, bosh! It isn't coming to that. But I wish he were in better shape. He is broken up badly without this hole in him."

He would not leave till I had promised to take him up the next day, though I was doubtful enough of his reception. But next day the Duke came down, his black bronco Jingo wet with hard riding.

"Better come up, Connor," he said gravely, "and bring your bromides along. He has had a bad night and morning and fell asleep only before I came away. I expect he'll wake in delirium. It's the whisky more than the bullet. Snakes, you know."

In ten minutes we three were on the trail, for Moore, though not invited, quietly announced his intention to go with us.

"Oh, all right!" said the Duke indifferently. "He probably won't recognize you anyway."

We rode hard for half an hour till we came within sight of Bruce's shack, which was set back into a little poplar bluff.

"Hold up!" said the Duke. "Was that a shot?" We stood listening. A rifle shot rang out, and we rode hard. Again the Duke halted us, and there came from the shack the sound of singing. It was an old Scotch tune.

"The Twenty-third Psalm," said Moore in a low voice.

We rode into the bluff, tied up our horses and crept to the back of the shack. Looking through a crack between the logs, I saw a grewsome thing. Bruce was sitting up in bed with a Winchester rifle across his knees and a belt of cartridges hanging over the post. His bandages were torn off, the blood from his wound was smeared over his bare arms and his pale, ghastly face, his eyes were wild with mad terror, and he was shouting at the top of his voice the words:

"The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; he leadeth me
The quiet waters by."

Now and then he would stop to say in an awesome whisper, "Come out here, you little devils!" And bang would go his rifle at the stovepipe, which was riddled with holes. Then once more in a loud voice he would hurry to begin the psalm:

"The Lord's my Shepherd."

Nothing that my memory brings to me makes me chill like that picture—the low log shack, now in cheerless disorder; the ghastly object upon the bed in the corner, with blood smeared face and arms and mad terror in the eyes; the awful cursings and more awful psalm singing, punctuated by the quick report of the deadly rifle.

For some moments we stood gazing at one another. Then the Duke said in a low, fierce tone, more to himself than to us:

"This is the last. There'll be no more of this cursed folly among the boys."

And I thought it a wise thing in the Pilot that he answered not a word.

To be Continued.

Making It Pleasant For Them.

Aunt Abigail had consented at last to give her house an external treatment for chronic shabbiness.

The painters did a good job, finishing the front steps last, but forgot to put a board across the balusters to keep persons from running up or down the steps, and the good dame did not observe the oversight.

While she was clearing away the supper dishes an hour or two after the painters had gone there came a ring at the front door bell.

Aunt Abigail, full of wrath, hastened to the door and opened it.

There stood the pastor and his wife.

"I'm delighted to see you, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter," she said, with a frosty smile. "I'm delighted to see you, but I just knew somebody would come up those freshly painted steps before they were dry. Come right in and make yourselves at home, and don't forget, for goodness' sake, to wipe your feet on this mat inside!"—Chicago Tribune.

The Helpful Word.

Give the young and struggling a word of encouragement when you can. You would not leave those plants in your window boxes without water nor refuse to open the shutters that the sunlight might fall upon them, but you would leave some human flower to suffer from want of appreciation or the sunlight of encouragement. There are a few hardy souls that can struggle along on stony soil—shrubs that can wait for the dews and sunbeams, vines that climb without kindly training—but only a few. Utter the kind word when you can see that it is deserved. The thought that "no one cares and no one knows" blights many a bud of promise. Be it the young artist at his easel, the young preacher in his pulpit, the workman at his bench, the boy at his mathematical problems or your little girl at the piano, give what praise you can.

OF [illegible]

It Is Said It Will Be an Increase of About 7 Per Cent. to the Diggers of Coal.

Indianapolis, Jan. 20.—An increase in the wages of coal miners equivalent to the reduction accepted by the United Mine Workers in the joint wage conference of 1904 — about 7 per cent. —is the proposition which the operators are expected to defend in the joint conference to convene at Indianapolis next Tuesday, upon the adjournment of the present annual convention of the United Mine Workers.

No information as to the provisions which will be comprised in the formulated demands of the miners is obtainable. There is good reason to believe, however, that an increase of 12½ per cent. in wages, which is a compromise on the prices advocated by the various districts, will be the final result. There is a possibility that a demand for a straight increase of 10 cents a ton will be made, but this is not generally believed.

JOE GANS REJUVENATED

Colored Lightweight Knocks Out "Twin" Sullivan in the Fifteenth Round.

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—Joe Gans, rejuvenated, put up the fight of his life, and knocked out Mike (Twin) Sullivan in the fifteenth round. The issue of the fight was hardly in doubt from the first round. From start to finish Gans was the aggressor, and kept right on top of his man. Sullivan made several brave rallies, but he could not hurt the colored man.

Finally, in the fifteenth round, a series of lightning right hand blows to the jaw ended Sullivan's aspirations and put Gans once more at the top of the fighting heap. The fight was fast and furious from the start. Gans kept within striking distance of his man at all stages. Sullivan was clever and game, but could not keep the aggressive colored man away from him.

WALLING IS NOT ARRESTED

Story from St. Petersburg Proves to Have No Foundation in Fact—How It Is Explained.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Reports that William English Walling, the Chicago sociologist, had been arrested in St. Petersburg, charged with conniving with the revolutionists, prove to be without foundation. Willoughby Walling, a brother of the sociologist and secretary of the Western Trust and Savings bank, has received the following cablegram from him: "Arrest not hinted or possible. Rumor absurd."

"My theory is," said the brother, "that he was away on a mission of inquiry in an outlying locality of St. Petersburg and neglected to tell his friends where he was going. They immediately concluded that his absence could be explained only by possible arrest."

Chicago Juries Wake Up.

Chicago, Jan. 20. — Peter Brady, Joseph Hase and Lawrence Roscoe, three boys under 19 years of age, were given life sentences for thuggery, and Nicholas Holland, 86 years old, was given ninety-nine years for attacking a little girl by courts here yesterday, as a sort of sequel to the reign of crime in this city.

Old Landmark Is Burned.

Pittsburg, Jan. 20.—A fire with a monetary loss of about $150,000 completely destroyed the old market house, one of Pittsburg's most famous landmarks. The old building was favorably known throughout the country through its connection with the sanitary commission during the civil war.

Will Become a Britisher's Wife.

Copenhagen, Jan. 20.—The United States minister, Thomas J. O'Brien, announces the engagement of his daughter Catherine to H. G. Chilton, third secretary of the British legation. The marriage will take place in April. O'Brien's home is at Grand Rapids, Mich.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The National Wholesale Dry Goods association has indorsed the position of the jobbers against selling direct to retailers.

Christian Brobst, reputed to be the oldest Odd Fellow in the world, is dead at Knoxville, Ia. His record is 66 years.

The Ohio senate has voted to repeal the inheritance tax law.

Stanley B. Smith, president of the First National bank, of Janesville, Wis., is dead.

Thousands of bales of cotton in northwestern Texas will be lost for lack of pickers.

A brewery combine with a capital of $10,000,000 is planned at New York city.

General Lee's birthday anniversary was generally celebrated all over the south.

The dry goods houses at New York were generally closed for an hour during memorial services in honor of Marshall Field.

Some of the employes of the Cuban Central railroad have declared a strike because the company would not agree to pay their wages in United States money.

At Seville, Spain, Cardinal Spinola, archbishop of Seville, is dead.

Cardinal Gotti, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, is seriously ill at Rome of pneumonia.

A rain which had prevailed in California for a week has abated.

The British ship King David was wrecked on Bajos Point, Vancouver island, Dec. 13. A. Walstrom, the mate, and six men are missing.

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A Malicious Will.

Persons wishing to register in their last wills and testaments their feelings regarding their natural heirs may take as a model the following crisp effort of an Englishman, William Hall: "I give to that vile wretch, Samuel Hall, who I admitted of the temple many years since, but he sold his gown, and in seven years I could never get him to church but once, and twice he assaulted me, and at the time he had certainly killed me if by God's providence I had not by a maidservant been thrown against a great fire, the sum of 10 shillings, to be paid him every Monday upon request, and I wish that the first food he takes after my death will choke him."

Freezing Food Before Eating.

In nearly all parts of the arctic regions food is frozen not only for purposes of preservation, but also to increase, as the natives believe, its nutritive properties. Their fish and seal flesh are frozen and eaten in thin slices, cut off by ax or knife. Seal flesh, half decomposed and then frozen, is one of the Eskimos' greatest delicacies. Walrus liver, too, when frozen is held to possess great sustaining power, and it is considered that cooking deprives it of its delicacy of flavor. The natives of the Titicaca basin, in Peru, who inhabit a district 12,000 feet above the sea, prepare their potatoes by soaking them in water, then freezing them, then steeping them in water and mashing them to remove the soluble matter. After this they are dried and become an article of food. They will then keep any length of time and are extremely convenient for carrying on long journeys. The oka, another vegetable of the district, is prepared in the same way.

School Report.

Report of Gap Grove school for month ending Jan. 12. Olive C. Martin, teacher.

School was in session 24 days.
Number of pupils enrolled 23.
Total days attendance 479½.
Average daily attendance 20.

Pupils receiving certificates are Earl Harms, Margaret Martin, Irene Brauer, Harold Lenox, Clarence Martin, Roy Jones, Belle Martin.

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Boys' Calf—extra value—at	$1.19—big bargain
Ladies' Dongola Kid, heavy sole	$1.19
Ladies Calf, worth $1 75, on sale	$1.19
Ladies' $2.50 Kid or Colt, patent leather	$1.98

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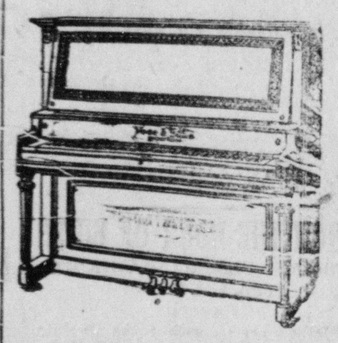
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NO PASSES FOR CULLOM.

It is stated that perhaps one-half of the membership of the senate and house regards the anti-pass orders of the eastern railroads with equanimity. These have always paid their railroad fares, not only from choice, but from ethical and moral considerations.

Senator Cullom never receives or accepts passes from railroads. He has paid fare east and west for twenty years and could not be persuaded to depart from the habit. The senior Illinois senator could get all transportation he wanted by simply indicating that he would accept passes, but he has assumed that in view of his relation to the railroad legislation as a leading member of the committee on interstate commerce he could not conscientiously accept favors from the roads.

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YATES AND LORIMER.

In politics there are truly very strange bedfellows. Now it appears that Richard Yates and Congressman William Lorimer, the latter of Chicago, are bitter enemies. Lorimer was the chief manager in the nomination of Yates for governor and it may be truly said that Lorimer elected him to that high office. Now Mr. Yates announces that one of the chief issues of his campaign against Cullom for senator is opposition to Lorimer.

The latter, you see, did not when Mr. Yates desired a renomination, support him, but was for Colonel Lowden. In a speech to his friends at the Leland recently Mr. Yates said

"William Lorimer even had the nerve to come to me in this hotel during the state convention, which nominated Governor Deneen, and tell me: 'Why, Governor, I never promised you I would be with you for renomination.'"

To THE TELEGRAPH this sounds egotistical, as we must believe that in electing a man governor one does not in that pledge eternal loyalty.

But Mr. Yates evidently understands that he must fight something, and so he has tackled Lorimer. Why he should have singled out Billy is a problem. It is said that Lorimer, after nominating Yates the first time, insisted that he should carry out certain pledges, but complained afterwards that Yates couldn't keep his own mind ten minutes. When Billy would go to fix up a deal, Yates would agree to it, but before Lorimer got back to Chicago Yates would change his mind and do the very opposite. This led to a coolness between the eminent statesmen which has now resulted in a positive row.

Mr. Yates appears to believe that because a Chicago politician refuses to support him for any and every office he may ask for that is a good reason why the people of Illinois will all be for him.

The combined efforts of several Chicago newspapers for years, have been directed particularly to the downing of Lorimer: and still his neighbors elect him to congress every two years a fact that leads us to imagine that he is not a very bad man, else the voters who know him so well would not give him their support for such an important office.

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"Bleeding Kansas."

A dispatch from Topeka recalls this newspaper heading to Kansas news that appeared frequently, fifty years ago when the "slave power" with the aid of President Buchanan endeavored to force slavery upon the people of that state, then a territory,

It is a history that is remembered with horror by people old enough to have been a witness of those days of real political corruption.

The recent dispatch says: All Kansas gradually is getting white hot over the brutal utterances of members of Quantrell's gurrilla band, who met at Independence, Mo., some days ago. Not content with looking at the events of forty years ago through the glasses of today, one of the aged border ruffians, in talking of the sacking of Lawrence, Kan., declared:

"I am sorry now we did not wipe ——— town out."

This brutal utterance started things. Some old time residents of the town that was burned and ravished by Quantrell recalled that indictments charging murder against forty-three of Quantrell's men were returned in Lawrence in 1863.

The discovery stirred the Lawrence people into action and Gov. Hock was asked if it was discovered that any of the forty-three are alive if he will issue requisitions on Gov. Folk in order that they may be put on trial for their lives.

The governor intimated that should such a request be made he in turn will issue the necessary papers.

"The memory of the wholesale human slaughter that took place at Lawrence on the morning of August 21, 1863," said the governor, "is unspeakably revolting. Why anybody is still living forty-two years after that awful saturnalia of blood who desires not to forget it is incomprehensible to persons of merciful instincts.

AFTER WOODMEN PICNIC

Chicago Wants To Take Summer Meet Away From Freeport.

Chicago Woodmen have a strong desire to take the big picnic of the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin M. W. A. Picnic association which was voted to be held in Freeport next summer, away from that city. Chicago only recently entered the field of Woodcraft, having been barred from the organization prior to the last camp meeting held at Milwaukee in 1905. The hazardous occupations of the men of Chicago in general and other unfavorable conditions were the reasons why the Order of Modern Woodmen of America declined to work in that field until this year. The Milwaukee head camp, however, saw fit to remove the ban from the more favorable sections of the city and deputies have been busy ever since gathering recruits for the great organization. John F. Harris, supervising deputy for the city of Chicago, is at the head of the movement to take the picnic of 1906 away from Freeport.

HELP FOR CARRIERS

The Postal Department Asks the Patrons to Keep the Road Open.

CLEAR AWAY THE SNOW DRIFTS

No Part of Carrier to Break Roads After a Severe Storm.

The United States mail department has issued the following circular of interest to farmers living along the way of rural delivery. The matter will undoubtedly receive the immediate and constant attention of the farmers and will consequently assist the mail carriers who serve them in season and out of season. Following is the circular:

"The department looks to the patrons of the free delivery service who are receiving the benefits of the service, to use their utmost personal endeavors and also to exert their influence with the road supervisors or with those officials who are responsible for the highways to the end that the road traveled by the rural rarriers may be always kept open and in such passable shape that the service can be regularly and punctually performed.

"Should the regularity of the service be needlessly destroyed as the result of inattention and lack of care bestowed on the highways the permanent withdrawal of the delivery will likely result.

"Rural letter carriers are requested to serve their routes regularly at all seasons of the year and in every kind of weather when it can be done without seriously imperiling the lives or endangering their conveyances or the United States mail which is in their custody.

"Patrons should clear away the snow drifts so that carriers can drive up to and reach boxes from their vehicles without dismounting.

"It is not a part of the carrier's duty to break out the roads after a severe storm."

Two More To Pen.

Sheriff Wohnke left this morning for Joliet with Morris Kelly, the convicted chicken thief, and Rucelle Consigny, the convicted forgerer, who will serve time in the state penitentiary. The sheriff wrs accompanied by Francis Coffey.

Back to Prison at 106 Years of Age,

Ivan Palensuk of Agram, Hungary, was released from prison Thursday after fifty years' confinement. He protested tearfully against his release, but in vain, and he immediately committed another crime in order to be reimprisoned.

Suicide From Love-Sickness.

Miss Esther Westergren of Sycamore, aged 19, committed suicide Thursday night by drowning herself in a cistern. Her motive is said to have been disappointment due to unrequitted love.

ALL QUIET ALOMG ROCK RIVER

Mejor Floyd and Cadets Have Come To An Understanding And All Is Well.

PARENTS ARE WELL SATISFIED

School Will Move on as if Nothing had Happened.

All is quiet again at the Rock River Military Academy. Late yesterday afternoon the trustees held a meeting at the academy and the whole situation was discussed very carefully. The cadets appeared before the trustees and conducting themselves like perfect gentlemen, told their stories. Major Floyd and the other members of the faculty were also present at the meeting, and related their side of the trouble. At the close of the meeting both cadets and the major understood each other better.

Neither Major Floyd or the cadets gained a point. The cadets agreed to go back to their work, and the major expressed himself as being delighted to take them back.

Monday morning the school will start along with its work as though nothing had happened.

PARENTS SATISFIED

All the parents who were in Dixon since the trouble began, are perfectly satisfied with the way the school is managed. Two or three of the parents told their sons, in a manner that they will not soon forget, that the school was all right and that they would continue to be cadets, in good standing. Major Floyd was a very busy man today, getting things in shape, for a renewal of the work.

Whiteside Murder Trial.

The Whiteside county autorities have made extensive preparations for the handling of the case of the state against Arthur Handley for the murder of Burton Mapes, which occurred on November 20 last. The five deputy sheriffs of the county will be in attendance at the court. In addition to this the court has appointed three bailiffs for the trial, which will make a total of eight county peace officers, in addition to the regular court officers.

Judge Graves has issued a venire for fifty additional jurors to report for duty in the circuit court Tuesday morning, Jan. 23.

The trial for murder will be the first that has occurred in Whiteside county since November of the year 1893, when Ernest Swartout was convicted of the murder of his father, Albert Swartout, and was sentenced to the penitentiary on November 16 of that year. It will be remembered that John Swartout was indicted on the same charge, but died in the county jail before the case was called for trial.

National Poultry Show.

Three thousand chickens and 1,700 pigeons have been entered for the poultry show of the National Fanciers and Breeders association, which begins in the Seventh Regiment armory, Chicago, today, and continues throughout the week.

In respect of high class entries the show will be the best of recent years. An innovation this year is the banishment from the show of the dogs and cats which formerly were a feature. The exhibition is for poultry and pigeons alone. All indications point to a popular approval of this course. Poultry raising has grown rapidly in the last few years. Since the census of 1900 showed it to be one of the most important industries in the United States it has increased wonderfully and Illinois has maintained its place in the lead. At the Chicago show, every variety of fowl known to American breeders will be shown.

Fred Murray Assistant Postmaster.

The following will interest the many friends of Mr. Murray in Dixon, where for so many years he was the pupolar station agent of the C. & N. W. Railroad company:

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Jan. 20.

Fred L. Murray, for many years and until recently station agent for the Chicago & Northwestern railroad at Dixon, has been appointed assistant postmaster here by Postmaster Watrons, succeeding J. L. Swayer, who resigned. Mr. Murray is a brother of the late C. A. Murray, who was postmaster for many years, until his death a couple of years ago. Since his brother's death Fred L. Murray has lived here and has a position as traveling salesman.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Floto of The Kingdom are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Higley of North Dixon.

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No. 1	Any Ladies' Cloak in our stock for	$5 00
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No. 4	" Ladies' Walking Skirts in our stock at	Half Price
No. 5	" Ladies' Tailored Suits in our stock at	$5.00
No. 6	" " Cloak [last season's] for	$1 50
No. 7	" Child's " " " " for	99c
No. 8	20 Kimonos worth $1.00, $1.25, $1 10, at	Half Price
No. 9	Women's, Men's, Children's Outing Flannel Gowns, sample line 25 percent off	
No. 10	Women's Fleeced Vests and Pants worth 50c for	39c

In addition to the above line there will be odd lots of merchandise in all lines that will be offered at forced sale prices—a big money-saving sale for you.

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DEMENT TOWN DOINGS

Mrs. M. J. Burright is ill.

Miss Emma O'Brien was an Amboy passenger yesterday.

Rev. H. F. Schmidt was in Amboy yesterday on business.

Mr. J. C. Cassel was here yesterday from York, Pa., on business.

Water was good in Dement-town today and there was plenty of it.

Carloads of grain to the number of 25 were transferred here yesterday.

Happy Roberts, the Illinois Central lineman, was here yesterday on business.

A wild cat caused a great deal of excitement yesterday morning in Coffee's hotel.

Dennis Connely was on the Avenue this morning. He has just returned from the soldier's home.

Phil Miller is visiting with his brother, John, of Pawpaw, who had the misfortune recently to run a pitchfork in one of his feet.

Why Papa Lost Consciousness,—"If you marry him," said her papa, who was exhibiting symptoms of violent displeasure. "I will not only have to support him but I will have to pay his debts too!"

But the pretty and petulant young thing who was hanging to his coat lapels was not moved by his argument.

"Now, papa," she said, "you know well enough that George has to live just the same as other men. And, as to his debt, I've heard you say hundreds of times that a man's debts ought to be paid!"

The fight that occurred in Dement-town during the holidays and was participated in by a number of the residents of that part of town, has cost some of the participants a certain sum of money in fines all ready, and threatens to cost others their liberty if the money for the fines assessed them is not forthcoming on the date set to collect them. Complaints were made the next day after the battle was fought by some of the residents of the neighborhood in which the fight occured, and the arrest of the scrappers followed. Some of them were first offenders and they were taken before a justice, their pockets were empty and they begged for time to raise the amount assessed them, and they were given until the end of this month to produce the coin.

They have been kept under the surveilance of the police, however, and some of the offenders have paid their fines since that time. If those who are on parole do not pay up at the time set they will board out their debt with Sheriff Wohnke in the county jail. The charge brought against them was for breaking the peace. The matter has been kept quiet, as most of the offenders are generally quiet law abiding citizens and this was their first appearance in a justice court.

REV. NEWTON HONORED

Popular Pastor People's Church Appointed a Chaplain for the Actors' Church Alliance.

WILL FIND HIM TRUE FRIEND

His Duties Are to Assist Actors in Distress.

Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, pastor of the Peoples' church of this city, has been appointed a chaplain for the Actors' Church Alliance of America. This is an honor any pastor might well wish for.

Rev. Newton's duties are to look after the needs of actors and actresses in distress. In Rev. Newton they will find a true friend, a pastor who will be delighted to aid them in any way that he can.

The objects of the Actors' Church Alliance of America are to promote the best interests of the stage and church, in seeking to produce on the part of each, a just appreciation of the opportunities and responsibilities of the other; and laboring to the end that the stage, church, and the general public may be united in a mutual effort for the betterment of all. Rt Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D., L. L. D. is president of the alliance.

—Frank Easton went to Chicago today.

—Mrs. Will Floto has gone to Pontiac for a visit.

—Walter Raffensberger went to Chicago this morning.

—Mrs. Amy Keller of Chicago and son C. M. Keller of New Salem, North Dakota, will arrive tonight for a visit with Atty. Mark Keller of this city.

Great Bargains at Bee Hive this week. tl

FEUDAL REGIME AND SOCIETY IN JAPAN

Dr. Iyenaga Gives Second University Extension Lecture Upon Japan and Her People.

NEXT LECTURE PROMISES BEST

Series Remarkable in Interest and from Educational Standpoint,

The expectations of those who subscribed for the University Extension lecture are being fully met in the remarkable and fascinating descriptions of Japan and her people by Dr. Iyenaga. In his first lecture he depicted the historical background and the natural features of the country, while in the lecture last evening he gave a carefully constructed and entertaining treatise on the external structure of society in his native country.

In the lecture two weeks hence Dr. Iyenaga states that he will endeavor to show the moving forces, or the soul of Japan and he promises that it will be the most important of the series.

There is no country in the world which commands more interest at the hands or the student of governments on account of her rapid development. Within a generation she has achieved what it took Europe centuries to accomplish—she has rid herself of feudalism and become a constitutional monarchy.

The origin of the race rests in fables said Dr. Iyenaga. As they are a race of ancestral worshipers, it is strange they have left no annals. Like that of Greece, the mythology of Japan is full of beauty. The origin of the race is ascribed to three or more sources. It is not supposed by students of the subject that they are descended from original barbarians of the country. They may have come from semi-civilized emigrants from Siberia, yet there is a large infusion of Mongolian blood and they come largely from the Tartar-Mongolian stock of Central Asia; yet the Japanese are as different a race from the Chinese or Koreans as the Anglo-Americans are from the Spaniards.

Dr. Iyenaga had considerable to say of the soldiery of the country and in his stereopticon slides illustrated the method of fighting of the ancient soldiery with lance, two handed sword, rapier and knife. He also spoke of ju jitsu, the Japanese method of self defense, in which they rely upon suppleness rather than strength. He stated that the system taught in this country is not the real system, for this is taught to no one who would have the disposition to use it in offense; used by a strong man the system is dangerous, for it is too easy to break a limb or kill a man by its use. Nothing equals it as a system of defense.

The lecturer was questioned as to the religion of Japan and whether there was conflict between Shintoism, the primitive religion of Japan, and Buddhism, but he stated that there was not, that Buddhism was more philosophy than religion and did not conflict with but rather embraced Shintoism in the worship of the Japanese.

The stereopticon views accompanying the lecture were very fine and added much to the interest of the lecture.

OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY

Ephraim Isenberg of Grand Detour Leaves Many to Mourn Death.

Ephram Isenberg, one of the early settlers of Ogle county, died at his home in Grand Detour yesterday afternoon. Deceased was born in Huntington county, Pa., Oct. 19th, 1819, came to this state in 1853 and was married to Miss Margaret McCarty of Grand Detour, January 6, 1857, where they have since resided.

Six children were born of the union: Mrs. Lydia Fox, Grand Detour; Mrs. Ellen Lenox, Palmyra; Mrs. Louise Randall, Dixon; Mrs. Mary Beatty, Dixon; William of Amboy and Edward at home. Besides his four daughters and two sons, he leaves seventeen grandchildren and one great grandchild to mourn his death. Deceased has been for many years an earnest member of the Methodist church and during his eighty-five years of life has made many warm friends, who will meet at the late home at 2 o'clock Sunday.

—Charles Dowd is here from Chicago.

—Alderman George Schorr made a business trip to Amboy today.

—Judge Robert H. Scott returned from the east end of the county this morning.

—Horace F. Hill lost his soldier discharge papers and would be under great obligations to the finder if he would leave same at THE EVENING TELEGRAPH office.

PATRONS FOR EGPYTA

Society People Will Attend the Opening Performance of Magnificent Production.

BIG SOCIETY EVENT OF SEASON

Members of Committees Who Have Affair in Charge.

The following representative citizens of Dixon have notified the Egypta committee that their names may be used as "Patrons" for the opening performance of the opera on Monday night, Jan. 29 Each incoming mail brings additional names:

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Batchelder, Mesdames Emma Brookner, Eliza Camp, Mary A. Cooley, Messr. and Mesdames O. B. Dodge, O. J. Downing, T. W. Fuller, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Hunt. George Laing, Miss Jennie Laing, Mrs. Charles McKenny, Messrs. and Mesdames C. H. Noble, J. P. Plummer, Frank Rosbrook, George H. Squires, John V. Thomas, A. C. Warner and Mrs. Louise Steele.

The preparations for the opera are in the care of the following committees:

PATRON.

Miss Thomas, chairman; Misses Squires and Hazel Noble.

INVITATIONS.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Ericsson, Messrs. and Mesdames W. J. McAlpine, H. C. Higgins, M. Jordan, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Newton, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Blackman, Messrs. and Mesdames C. B. Morrison, J. M. Batchelder, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Kost. Messrs. and Mesdames C. H. Noble, G. H. Squires, J. V. Thomas.

EXECUTIVE

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell, chairman; Rev. J. M. Ericsson, Misses Christine Squires, Myra Young.

MUSIC.

Misses Nellie Thomas, Eudora Downing, Mrs. N. C. Hall.

ADULT CHORUS.

Miss Christine Squires, chairman; Mesdames Edward N. Howell. George Howell, Miss Mary Pankhurst.

CHILEREN CHORUS.

Miss Minnie Knox, chiarman; Misses Florence Noble, Mary Chandler, Edna Rosbrook.

ROYAL LEGION.

Misses Bess Eells, Mary Wynn.

ORIENTAL DRILL.

Mesdames A. F. Moore, Charles R. Leake.

TICKETS.

Misses Myra Young, Clara Rink, and Mr. H. U. Bardwell.

SOUVENIR PROGRAMS.

Miss Mae A. Brookner, chairman: Msr. T. W. Fuller, Misses Elizabeth B Camp, Florence Noble.

DEBATE AT LIEVAN SCHOOL

Dixon Parties Will Assist the Teacher to Give Entertainment.

The pupils and patrons of the Lievan school located two and one-half miles south of this city on the pump factory road, have arranged to give an entertainment and basket social at the school house Friday evening, January 26th.

City Attorney John S. Dornblaser and John H. Byers will debate the question, "Resolved, That U. S. Senators Should Be Elected by a Direct Vote of the People."

Messrs. Jacob Lievan, Arthur Missman and William Mossholder, directors of the school, have been selected as judges.

John Absher is the teacher of the school.

LABOR DAY COMMITTEE MEET

Rochelle Wants the Tri-County Labor Day Celebrations.

The Tri-county Labor Day committee meeting will be held at Rochelle Feb. 4 At this meeting it is likely that final arrangements will be decided upon for the next Tri-County Labor Day celebration. Rochelle as a city has announced itself ready and willing to entertain the laboring men of the three counties, and promises to do all in its power to give the unions a pleasant day.

In other parts of the district opinions differ as to whether or not a Tri-County celebration should be maintained. A great many prefer that each county have its own celebration, and spend the laboring men's special holiday in pleasant social picnics. They claim that the enjoyment would be as great and the expense much lessened.

—St. Agnes Guilk will meet in the guild rooms Monday afternoon at three o'clock. It is important that all members be present.

Great Bargains at Bee Hive this week. tl

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

The Woman's Relief corps will meet in regular session Monday at 2:30 p. m

The Y. W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Dena Reynolds, 1414 West Second street, Monday, January 22nd.

Miss Lorna Dement entertained the Kendall Club at her home this afternoon. The officers for the ensuing year were elected.

Miss Newberry and her pupils of the North Dixon school were entertained at the home of Charles Burket, last evening. They made the trip in a bob sled.

Miss Nellie Klosterman of Prairieville gave a party last evening at her home to a number of young people from Sterling and Dixon. About sixty invitations have been issued.

The card party given by the Dixon club last evening at the club rooms was attended by sixty members. The lady's prize was won by Miss Young. William Philpott carried away the gentleman's prize. Dancing was enjoyed.

Royal Neighbors Install.

Rock River Camp, No. 127, R. N. of H. installed the following officers for the ensuing year last night:

Oracle, Mary Martin; vice orcale, Anna Hamblock; chancler, Fannie Toot; recorder, Nellie Deeter; marshal, Mrs. Shaver; inner sentinel, Mrs. Smith; outer sentinel, Lucy Lease; manager, Mary Brown; Miss Estella Osborne acted as installing officer, Mrs. Jessie Brown acted as ceremonial officer and Miss Vera Jacobus, presided at the organ. After installation a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

—T. J. Millar, who was reported dead in California, writes that he will be home alive and well early next week.

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Night Baggageman Resigns.

James Curran, who has been the efficient, accommodating and gentlemanly night baggageman at the Northwestern depot in this city, for the past six months has resigned. His resignation will take effect tonight.

—One hundred and five tickets have been taken for the anniversary dance of the Eagles at Rosbrook's hall February 6th.

—Mrs. A. E. Simonson was in Sterling last night in attendance at the installation of Rosewood Temple Rathbone Sisters.

—J. B. Lennon, B. F. Snyder, Geo. Walker, Mark Smith and A. E. Simonson drove to Franklin Grove last night to install the officers o Franklin Grove Lodge Knights of Pythias. After the installation a chicken pie supper was served by the fire department in the new town hall

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Preaching services at St. Paul's Lutheran church, morning and evening. In the morning at 11 o'clock the pastor will preach on the subject, "Half-Hearted Christians." In the evening at 7:30 the subject will be "Willfulness." This will be the first of a series of sermons on the Prodigal Son. This great parable embraces a large scope of human experiences dealing with many important phases of life. The depth and breadth of the parable promise an interesting series. A cordial invitation is extended to all

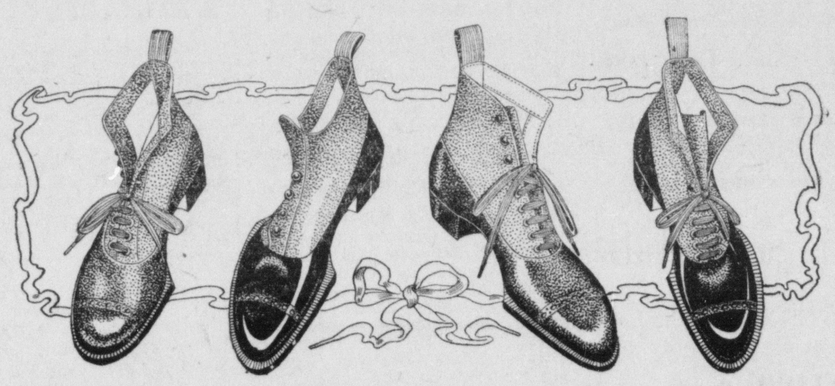
—Attorney J. W. Beemer left this afternoon for Compton where he will visit over Sunday at his former home.

—Phil Miller returned from Pawpaw this morning where he had gone to see a sick brother.

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HE HAS SHOT A MAN FATALLY

Anti-Saloon League Says Some Candidates Are Begging for Quarter —Shot-Firer Killed.

Geneva, Ill. Jan. 20.—Citizens of Geneva and the surrounding country are aroused over the shooting of Hans Elneff by Charles Pemberton, a wealthy farmer residing three miles from here. Pemberton recently was released from the Northern Illinois Asylum for the Insane at Elgin, where he had been for more than six months, violently insane. He was returned to his farm in November. Friends and physicians declare that he was scarcely more rational when he returned than when he went away and they score the asylum official mercilessly for turning loose in the community a man in his condition of mind.

His Mania Was Homicidal.

That a man as violently crazy as Pemberton is said to have been when he was sent to the institution could be cured in six months is ridiculed by all who have any knowledge of mental diseases. The day before Pemberton was committed to the hospital Sheriff Richardson was summoned to the Pemberton farm and found Pemberton in possession of the house, having driven the family out at the point of a revolver. Sheriff Richardson disarmed him.

Another of His Breaks.

About a year ago Pemberton, armed with a large revolver, went to the Northwestern railway station at Geneva, and drove all the people from the station, threatening to kill them. He held possession of the station for upward of half an hour, when he was disarmed by deputies from the sheriff's office.

Case of Crazy Jealousy.

The shooting of Elneff took place in the kitchen of the Pemberton home. Pemberton believed his wife was infatuated with Elneff. Entering the kitchen he found his wife and Elneff in conversation. Drawing a large revolver he shot Elneff in the abdomen. After the shooting Pemberton hitched up a team and drove rapidly away, but was captured half an hour later by Deputy Sheriff Beebe Richardson and lodged in the Kane county jail at Geneva. The doctors say Elneff will die.

THEY ARE HUNTING COVER

Solons Who Voted Against Local Option Now Asking Cold Water Support and Making Promises.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—Representatives who at the last session of the legislature voted against the local option measure now are begging quarter of the Illinois Anti-Saloon League. State Secretary E. H. Curtis, of this city, has received during the last few days letters from fifteen legislators who voted against the bill, promising that if the League will not oppose their renomination and election they will vote in favor of the measure at the next session of the legislature.

The League has twelve workers in the field, making speeches against the men who opposed local option. The League expects to keep all men out of the house this year who have voted against the measure. It has not been decided whether to make terms with the legislators who have changed their views.

Costly Conflagration at Quincy.

Quincy, Ill., Jan. 20.—Fire which started in the livery stable of Fred E. Harnst destroyed the plant of the J. B. Schoo Sadlery company, consisting of five brick buildings. Flames spread across the street and almost completely destroyed the city hall, while the wholesale house of the Aldo Sommer Drug company was badly damaged. The total loss exceeds $300,000.

Shot-Firer Loses His Life.

Benton, Ill., Jan. 20.—Emmett E. Neal, a shot-firer, is dead of injuries suffered when an explosion in the Benton Coal company's mine caused considerable damage. J. E. McIntyre, who was in the mine with Neal, was injured, but will probably recover. John Outhouse, an oiler who was working at the mouth of the shaft, was thrown thirty feet by the explosion.

Restocking the State with Game.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 20. — The first shipment of Alabama quail and Virginia pheasants to be distributed in every county of Illinois have been received here. It is planned to distribute 25,000 of these birds in the state for the purpose of renewing the stock of game birds. Money secured from hunters' licenses covers the cost.

Sale of a Traction Line.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—The Springfield and Northwestern railroad has been sold to the McKinley syndicate. This will give the Illinois traction system on completion a new line between Springfield and Bloomington and a through line from Bloomington to East St. Louis, a distance of about 100 miles.

Gillespie Resigns His Office.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—George B. Gillespie has resigned as assitant attorney general of Illinois.

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STRIKERS WIN A VICTORY

Minuesota's Codified Laws Will Be Printed by a Strictly Union Firm.

St. Paul, Jan. 20.—The Typographical union of St. Paul has won its first decisive victory over the Typothetae in the strike for an eight-hour day and closed shop which was inaugurated Jan. 1. The legislature authorized the state code commission to have the codified laws of the state compiled and ready for delivery March 1. The contract for the printing was let to the Pioneer Press Printing company.

On account of the strike the work was greatly delayed, and the prospects were that a special session of the legislature would have to be called to extend the time for delivery of the code. After much negotiation the Pioneer Press company has surrendered the contract and the work was re-let to a strictly union firm.

WILL HUNT THE NORTH POLE

Will Do It in Airships, a la Poor Andree — Chicago Men Head the Scheme.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—The Wellman-Chicago-Herald Polar Expedition, a corporation whose object is the carrying on of a scientific and exploring expedition to the north pole with the aid of balloons and airships, has been organized in this city. The certificate of incorporation has been filed with the secretary of state.

Victor F. Lawson, proprietor of the Chicago Daily News, is president, and Frank B. Noyes, proprietor of the Chicago Record-Herald, is treasurer. Noyes, Lawson and Avel F. Hatch, of Chicago, comprise the board of directors.

REVOLUTION TRIUMPHANT

Ecuador Has Revolved and There Is a New Deal Going on at Quito.

Guayquil, Jan. 20.—The revolutionaries entered Quito [the capital of Ecuador]. Vive President Baquerizo Moreno has assumed executive power and will appoint a new cabinet.

British Election Returns.

London, Jan. 20.—The status of the next parliament, so far as it has been chosen, is as follows: Liberals, 228; Unionists, 96; Nationalists, 72; Laborites, 37. The Laborites are divided into three groups: Independents, 22, will act and vote together; John Burns group, will co-operate with the government, and the socialist group, extremists.

Another Open Shop Body.

New York, Jan. 20.—The National Association of Erectors of Structural Steel and Iron Work met in this city with delegates present from nearly all of the large cities of the country, and decided to stand hereafter for the open shop. These men employ 200,000 other men in their business.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Jan. 19.

Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May ...	$ .88¼	$ .88¼	$ .87⅜	$ .87½
July ...	.85¼	.85⅜	.84⅞	.84⅞
Corn—				
Jan. ...	.41⅞	.41⅞	.41¾	.41¾
May ...	.45¼	.45¼	.45⅛	.45⅛
July ...	.45¾	.45¾	.45⅝	.45⅝
Oats—				
Jan. ...	.31⅛	.31⅛	.31⅛	.31⅛
May ...	.32⅛	.32¼	.32	.32⅛
July ...	.30¾	.30⅞	.30⅝	.30¾
Pork—				
Jan. ...	14.27½	14.27½	14.27½	14.27½
May ...	14.17½	14.22½	14.15	14.17½
Lard—				
Jan. ...	7.77½	7.80	7.75	7.80
May ...	7.65	7.67½	7.62½	7.67½
Short Ribs—				
Jan. ...	7.70	7.75	7.70	7.72½
May ...	7.62½	7.62½	7.57½	7.60

Live Stock, Poultry and Hay.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 31,000. Sales ranged at $4.80@5.30 for pigs, $5.25@5.45 for light, $5.25@5.35 for rough packing, $5.25@5.52½ for mixed, and $5.35@5.50 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading within the range of $5.35@5.50 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 4,000. Quotations ranged at $5.35@6.25 for choice to fancy steers, $2.75@4.65 fat cows and heifers, $2.20@4.50 native bulls and stags, $5.75@7.75 fair to choice veal calves, $4.00@5.50 heavy calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 7,000. Quotations ranged at $5.65@6.00 good to fancy native wethers, $6.00@6.90 fair to fancy light yearlings, $5.15@5.75 good to fancy mutton ewes, $7.15@7.75 good to prime native lambs, $7.00@7.65 fair to prime fed western lambs.

Live poultry—Turkeys, per lb, 14; chickens, fowls, 11½c; roosters, 7c; springs, 11c per lb; ducks, 12c; geese, $6.00@9.00 per doz.

Hay—Choice timothy, $11.50@12.00; No .1, $10.00@11.00; No. 2, $8.50@9.50; No. 3, $7.50@8.50; choice prairie, $11.00@11.50; No. 1, $8.00@9.00; No. 2, $7.00@7.50; No. 3, $6.50@7.00; No. 4, $6.00@6.50.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 19.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts, 2 cars; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 40 cars; market firm; pigs, $5.85; yorkers, medium and heavy, $5.75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 80 cars; market slow; best native lambs, $7.65@7.75; westerns, $7.50; yarlings, $6.50@7.00; weters, $5.75@6.00; ewes, $5.25@5.50. Veals—Market strong; best, $9.50@9.75.

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There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of diabetes or any kidney ills when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that they can be cured. Read what a Dixon citizen says:

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It is difficult to cure a cough or free yourself from the discomforts of a cold unless you move the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar acts on the bowels and drives all cold out of the system. For Croup, Whooping Cough, Colds, and all Lung and Bronchial affectations, no remedy is equal to the original Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. A Liquid Cold Cure. Rowland Bros

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Indigestion is easily overcome by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, because this remedy digests what you eat and gives the stomach a rest—allows it to recuperate and grow strong again. Kodol relieves Indigestion, Belching of Gas, Sour Stomach, Heart Burn, etc., and enables the digestive organs to transform all foods into the kind of rich red blood that makes health and strength. Sold by Rowland Bros.

CHILDREN POISONED.

Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak, if not killed outright, by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung trouble, and is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates or other poisons. Rowland Bros.

One dose of Pineules taken at bedtime will entirely relieve the most obstinate case of backacke before morning. Pineules is a certain cure for all kidney and bladder troubles. Rowland Bros

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The many friends of G. H, Hausan, L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure, which I recommend to all, especially to trainmen who are usually similarly afflicted." Rowland Bros.

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NO BASTILE FOR HIM

Senate Not Likely to Haul Bigelow Over the Coals for His Contumacy.

COMMITTEE TAKES NO ACTION

Resolution to Call Him Down Is Withdrawn After Discussion.

Daily Flurry in the House Committee Over the Statehood Bill—Luke Wright To Be an Ambassador.

Washington, Jan. 20. — Poultney Bigelow's defiance of the senate committee on interoceanic canals in refusing to divulge the sources of certain information he is alleged to have that many eminent engineers had declined to go to the isthmus of Panama to engage in the construction of the canal because of physical conditions, probably will go unpunished. This was made apparent by the postponement of consideration of his recalcitrancy until after he has gone on with his testimony, which will be Tuesday probably. The committee had set Monday as the date for his examination, but Bigelow has asked that it go over until Tuesday.

Senator Says There Are Others.

The committee held an executive session of two hours. Hopkins offered a resolution certifying Bigelow's contumacy to the vice president for action in the courts, and asked that it be adopted. Several Democratic senators opposed this course, and Senator Simmons addressed the committee at length. He declared that it was an extraordinary penalty that was proposed and contrary to common law. He suggested that the courts might refuse to act on the certification, which he asserted would prove most embarrassing. Concerning Bigelow's article the senator said that there had been many other articles written against the canal management by other writers, equally bitter, who have not been called into disrepute, and that this one appeared to have been singled out by the president for a denunciatory reply.

Much News Is Confidential.

The course of the committee, if it should proceed against Bigelow, said the senator, would be to intimate witnesses and would be bad policy so early in the canal investigation. He said that much of the news printed by the newspaper men employed at the capital is obtained from confidential sources, and that if the committee is to declare that these confidences are to be violated it would at once array the press of the country against the committee. He closed with the statement that he would never sign a resolution to certify the case to the courts, and he was joined in this by Gorman and Taliaferro. Hopkins finally withdrew his resolution.

JOINT STATEHOOD HEARING

Senator Clark on the Value of a Copper Mine—O'Neil Creates Uproar.

Washington, Jan. 20. — Senator Clark, of Montana, appeared before the house committee on territories and made a statement concerning the tax assessment on the United Verde Copper mine at Jerome, A. T., which has been mentioned frequently in the joint statehood hearings as one of the great mining properties alleged to be escaping just taxation under the present territorial organization.

Clark denied that he had even received or rejected an offer of $25,000,000 for the mine, or any other sum. He said the mine paid taxes on an appraisement of $1,200,000; that newspaper statements of the value of the mine, some putting it at $100,000,000, were mere guesses, as to the amount of ore yet in the mine. "I defy any one to accurately estimate the value of a mine," said Senator Clark. "The eye cannot reach beyond the ground and ore which seems to be in inexhaustible quantities may play out at any time."

Then the daily row was had. In an impassioned speech Eugene O'Neil declared that the committee was acting as judge, jury and prosecuting attorney in advocating the joint statehood bill, and characterized as a crime the way the hearing was conducted. Democratic members of the committee agreed with O'Neil, and encouraged him in continuing a speech which threw the committee in an uproar.

HEPBURN BILL IS CHOSEN

Republicans of the House Commerce Committee Hold a Caucus.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Republican members of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce held a caucus at the Capitol at which the Hepburn rate bill was discusssed at considerable length. The bill, it is believed, will be reported to the house next week in slightly modified form. Dolliver attended the conference and joined with the representatives in reviewing the provisions of the measure.

The caucus was held in Hepburn's committee room and reached an agreement on the provision regarding the phraseology to be used in defining the rate which may be fixed by the commission. This will provide for a "just, reasonable and fairly remunerative rate, which shall be the maximum that may be charged" by the carrier. Various sections relative to notices, changes of venue, etc., also were considered, and changes in phraseology made.

COMPLAINT OF PORTO RICANS

Their Alien Rulers Not Giving Them a Square Deal. They Say.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Broad charges as to the indifference of United States officials in Porto Rico to the wishes of Porto Ricans were made by Mayor Robert Todd, of San Juan, in a hearing before the house committee on insular affairs on the proposed bill to reorganize the insular government.

Mayor Todd charged that the six United States members of the executive council, who are also the heads of the departments of the insular government, do not consult the five native members of the body, and do not even invite them to meetings of the council. This body is both executive and legislative in its functions, and stands in the relation of a senate to the house of delegates of Porto Rico. Todd had letters from several ex-members of the council corroborating his charge that the native members are ignored.

Wright To Be an Ambassador.

Washington, Jan. 20. — Luke E. Wright, of Tennessee, governor general of the Philippines, is to be the first ambassador to Japan if the senate approves the nomination which President Roosevelt will submit next Monday. Governor General Wright will be succeeded in office at Manila first by Henry C. Ide, the senior member of the commission, vice governor and at present acting governor general while General Wright is on leave of absence in this country. When he retires on June 1 James F. Smith, of California, a member of the Philippine commission, will succeed to the office of governor general.

House Talks About Deficiencies.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Reform in the matter of making deficiency appropriations agitated the house and nearly the entire time of the five and a quarter hours' session was devoted to its discussion. The urgent deficiency appropriation bill was being considered, and an appropriation for a portrait of ex-Attorney General Knox was cited as a violation of the law passed by the last congress curbing the demand for deficiency supplies. Nothing was done about it.

Custom He Wants to Abolish.

Washington, Jan. 20. — Secretary Root, before the house appropriations committee, told what he wanted it do in the way of consular reform. Principally this was to break up the custom of sending as consuls "estimable elderly gentlemen whose friends find it necessary to take care of them," and send in their places live young men.

Famine in Northern Japan.

Washington, Jan. 20. — According to information received at the Japanese embassy here the northern provinces of Japan are suffering from a severe famine which only the quickest relief will be able to check.

WILL RAID THE CLUBS

Exclusive Organizations at St. Louis Must All Get on Board the Water Wagon.

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Charging direct violation of the state liquor laws Thos. E. Mulvihill, excise commissioner, has announced that he will inaugurate a crusade against the following clubs, the most representative and exclusive in the city: St. Louis Mercantile, Noon Day, Missouri Athletic, Union, Columbian, Jefferson, St. Louis Democratic, Buckingham, Monticello and the Elks clubs.

"I have been called upon to execute the laws, under my oath of office, and I shall immediately proceed to either compel these clubs to obey the law or forfeit their charters. Without fear or favor, and with the absolute assurance, both legally and morally, that I am right in the construction of the statute I shall proceed, and if it becomes necessary the entire police department of the city will be behind me in the effort for law enforcement." He insists that the clubs must obtain dramshop licenses.

Beer to Built a Costly Tunnel.

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—According to a statement by August A. Busch the Manufacturers' railway, a St. Louis terminal railroad controlled by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, will construct a $3,000,000 tunnel under the Mississippi river in order to connect the road's Illinois and Missouri terminals.

Victims of a Mine Blast Recovered.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 20.—Coroner Beardsly has impaneled a jury to investigate the disaster in the Detroit mine on Paint Creek. The state mine inspection department is also making an investigation. All the bodies of the eighteen dead have been recovered.

Receiver for a Chicago Firm.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Board of Trade creditors of McReynolds & Co., the bankrupt Board of Trade firm, secured from Judge Bethea the appointment of the Chicago Title and Trust company as receiver. The receiver's bond is $50,000.

Neary Bests Bezenah.

Milwaukee, Jan. 20.—Charley Neary, of Milwaukee, was given the decision over Andy Bezenah, of Cincinnati, by Referee Hogan at the end of the eighth round. The bout from start to finish was of the whirlwind character.

It Was Ptomaine, Not Assassins.

Canon City, Colo., Jan. 20.—James H. Peabody, ex-governor of Colorado, and his wife, son and daughter, who became suddenly sick after breakfast, have entirely recovered. Their illness is attributed to ptomaine poisoning.

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The Weather

CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 20 9:50 a. m. The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:

Showers tonight, turning to snow flurries; Sunday much colder.

For the week commencing Jan 14

	Max.	Min.	Precp.
Sunday	29	11	—
Monday	29	0	—
Tuesday	50	16	.24
Wednesday	29	10	—
Thursday	37	15	—
Friday	—	—	—
Saturday	51	24	9

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MEETING OF MOTHERS

Session Held at Home of Mr. Marquis and Subject of "Motherhood" Discussed.

NINETEEN LADIES WERE PRESENT

Good Program Given and Refreshments Served.

The Frances Williard W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Olive Marquis. A good program in charge of Mrs. Harvey Eggerick, superintendent of Mother's meetings was given. After devotionals and singing, selections on the subject of "Motherhood" were read.

"My Mother," by Mrs. Blanche Young.

"Children," Mrs. J. G. Brooks.

"Her Reward," Mrs. Marquis.

Solo, "I'm a Pilgrim," by Mrs. Isadore Chessman.

"Unfinished Still," Mrs. Missman.

"We Forget," Miss Eva Tolf.

"He Longed for Mother Love," by Mrs. Shaw.

A duet by the little Blomdahl girls, "I Want my Mamma," was very nicely rendered and much appreciated.

Mrs. Haddock gave a talk on "Motherhood," which was very interesting and instructive. A discussion by the members followed.

"The Blessing of Thoughtful People" by Mrs. Heckman.

Miss Plum, "Story at Mother's Knee," ended the afternoon program, after which refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. Nineteen ladies were present.

STEPHENSON CO. TEACHER

Lee Co. Superintendent Edwards Address the Stephenson Co. Institute.

One of the largest crowds that have ever thronged the circuit court room in Freeport attended the educational exercises that are a part of the Stephenson County Farmers' institute assembled last Thursday evening. The features of the evening were the addresses of County Superintendent I. F. Edwards, of Lee county, and of County Superintendent Cyrus Grove, of Stephenson. Both addresses were warmly received and the speakers were interrupted by frequent applause. The subject of Prof. Edwards' address was, "The New Education for the Farm Child." The address is very highly spoken of by those who heard it and it is published in full in all of the Freeport papers.

—Jacob Miller was here from Amboy Friday.

—Uriah Stroup is recovering from his recent illness.

—Charles Webster spent Friday in Chicago on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Hurdle of Polo were Dixon visitors today.

—Charles W. Ross of Bradford township was in Dixon Friday.

—Supervisor Milton Crawford of China township, was a Dixon visitor Friday.

Mrs. E. F. Reed, 907 Monroe avenue, entertained with cards Friday afternoon.

—The Rock Falls News is agitating the subject of a new town hall for that city, the present building being entirely inadequate.

—Dr. C. C. Hunt will speak to the ladies of the Peoria Avenue Club at the home of Mrs. C. B. Morrison, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock on the subject of "Alaska."

—Rev. and Mrs. Billings yesterday entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lennie R. Ling and half a dozen young friends with a 6 o'clock dinner. The evening was spent in a pleasant social way with music and various parlor games.

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Vice Grand—Mrs. Addie Ward.
Secretary—Mrs. Dora E. Heft.
Treasurer—Mrs Mabel Drew.
Warden—Mrs. Emma Canave.
Conductor—Miss Mollie Portenius.
Outside Guardian—Will S. Filson.
Inside " —Mrs. Margaret Burns.
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I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this (the 35th) Senatorial District, subject to the Republican Primaries, which will be held the fourth Saturday in April, 1906, and respectfully ask the support of the Republican voters.

JOHN B. CASTLE.
Sandwich, Illinois.

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate for the office of Assessor for Dixon Township, subject to the action of the Republican primaries. GEO. F. PRESCOTT.

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